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For:

PRODUCTION OF SOLID PREPARATIONS OF WATER-SOLUBLE, SPAR-INGLY WATER-SOLUBLE OR WATER-INSOLUBLE ACTIVE COMPOUNDS

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REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. \$1.111

Sir:

In reply to the Office action of August 23, 2005, it is respectfully requested that the following amendment and request for reconsideration be entered and considered by the Examiner:

<u>A m e n d m e n t</u>

IN THE CLAIMS:

Enter new Claims 41 and 42 as indicated in the Listing of Claims set forth in Appendix I attached to this paper.

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